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The Values that you Receive Here are Guaranteed to be Satisfactory!

The word "Value" must always ring in this Store, the Merchandise must be Right, the Price Right and the various stocks must offer values that will satisfy the demands of those necessities that the Season calls for. The better we satisfy you the more certain we are that you will come again.



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For Men, Women and Children

Get the Price

## Christmas Goods such as

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Come in and buy a Good Pair of Shoes

## Buy the Best "the Brown"

YOURS FOR BARGAINS

**McCONNELL & STONE**

"THE CASH STORE"

Marion, - - - Kentucky

### A DOUBLE OPEN GRATE HORROW

Fatally Burned in Vain Attempt to Rescue Her Baby.

### LITTLE MACIE CLARK BURNED TO DEATH

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 11.—A special from Mason county states that Mrs. Ira Goodman and her three-year-old baby were fatally burned. The child was playing near an open grate fire when its clothing was ignited. The mother tried to tear the clothing from the child's body when her clothing caught fire and both were fatally burned before aid reached them.

Macie Clark, the 3 year old daughter, of James Clark, an employee at Wilson's Steam Laundry, was fatally burned Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the family residence on Wilson avenue in the rear of the Sayre residence. Mrs. Clark the child's mother had taken the ashes and had just stepped out to empty them when she heard the screams and ran into the room to find her little girl in flames. She burned her hands badly in extinguishing the flames.

The little one was given prompt medical attention by Dr. A. J. Driskill and all that could be done to relieve it was done. It lingered until 9 o'clock Tuesday night when death relieved it of its suffering. The funeral and interment took place Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Pleasant Hill.

### Attached Stock of Goods.

Parsons & Coville, of Evansville, attached the stock of goods of Wm. Plew, of Weston, and Sheriff Flannery had them stored in the vacant store room next to the Marion Bank, to await the orders of the court.

### Donakey—Baird.

Last Thursday evening at 7 o'clock the Cumberland Presbyterian church was crowded to witness the marriage of Miss Lena Donakey to William D. Baird, Rev. Price officiating. The altar was beautifully decorated with potted plants, making a rich background for the happy pair. Mrs. S. M. Jenkins rendered several beautiful selections, and the party came to "Lorhingrin's Wedding March." The bride being given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. Felix Cox. The ushers were: Messrs. Huston Orme, Thos. Cochran, John Wilson and W. O. Tucker. Miss Dell Barnes maid of honor, and Mr. Ed Maxwell, of Fredonia, best man. The bride and maid were gowned in beautiful brown traveling suits and hats. The ring ceremony was used, and little Miss Elizabeth Cook bore the ring on a silver tray. Miss Donakey is one of Marion's most attractive and beautiful girls, and Mr. Baird is lucky in winning the hand and heart of this charming young lady. Mr. Baird although a Henderson man by birth, has lived in Marion for several years, and no one has more friends than he. Immediately after the ceremony, the happy couple left for Murfreesboro, Tenn., to visit the groom's brother. The PRESS extends congratulations, and that the sun of love that so brightly shines now, will always illuminate their pathway.

### Runaway On Depot Street Sunday Night.

A livery team which was hitched in front of E. P. Hill's residence Sunday night, in some way became unhitched, and made a dash out depot street. The hub of one wheel struck the stone steps in front of R. W. Wilson's residence, and knocked them into the gutter. Proceeding out the street, the team vehicle collided with a telephone post, upsetting the buggy and throwing the horses down. Fortunately no one was in the buggy, and no one was hurt by the runaway.

### "A Night Raider," and a Woman's Nerve.

During the excitement following the burning of the tobacco sterneries at Princeton there was of course a feeling of suppressed anxiety felt by everyone in Marion, no one particularly tried to stay up late and especially not on the streets. Still Miss Mary Cameron, at her post always and if any one desired to send "postal" messages all they had to do was to supply the "copy." The correspondent of the Courier-Journal was asked by that great paper to send in an account of what had happened here the day "Dr." Moore received the "warning," and the copy was accordingly delivered to Miss Cameron who was filling the night dispatchers place at the I. C. Depot. A certain tobacco man who has been wearing a handkerchief over his face, on account of a slight attack erysipelas, fearing that some statement damaging to the business might creep unintentionally into the message requested the correspondent to allow him to see it, which was gladly agreed to, as the correspondent was in doubt as to what was really proper to make public. The tobacco buyer then presented himself at the dispatchers office and asked that he be allowed to see the message. Miss Mary looked up and seeing a masked man at the window, and thinking it was a "night raider" promptly declined, and thus showed that she would not be bluffed but when the "masked man" raised the handkerchief and showed her that he was only Sidney T. Dupuy and not one of the terrible night raiders, and made the explanation that he was given permission by the correspondent to see the message, she then allowed him to read it. If Miss Mary could thus show her nerve when she thought a real night raider in her presence why couldn't she if one should really come, is the question?

When you want good reliable groceries, call on J. L. Rankin & Co. R. E. Pickens general salesman.

### A MOCK TRIAL IN EIGHTH GRADE

David Fohs, Judge and Aubrey Cannon, Defendant.

### VERY INTERESTING AND INSTRUCTIVE

Marion, Ky., Dec. 7.—(Special)—Friday afternoon, a mock trial by eight grade room pupils. David Fohs acted as judge, Vernie Stemridge prosecuting attorney with Maure Boston as his assistant, Grover Newcom Sheriff. The Defendant, Aubrey Cannon, was tried for breach of the peace and was ably defended by Orlin Moore and Galen Dixon, Attorneys.

A jury of six girls with Marion Clement as foreman heard the evidence given by witnesses for both sides. As there were many witnesses and the evidence exceedingly conflicting, girls on the other side of the room having been to much engaged with their love affairs to have seen the fight. It was hard for the jury to arrive at a decision, especially after hearing the able argument of the opposing lawyers. After being out some time they returned a verdict of guilty, placing the fine at fifty dollars. The judge solemnly read the sentence, after which the court dismissed by his honor.

The trial fully represented a court to the civics class. They learned from the trial that not always do the witnesses tell the truth and it is not every jury that will give people justice according to the testimony and arguments.

A PRINCIPAL

### Died in Missouri.

Thomas Allen, of Nevada, Mo., died at one o'clock December 1st. He was formerly of this county being the son of the late Archie Allen.

He with his mother and sisters

went to Missouri twenty three years ago. During time he never came to Crittenden county on a visit, but his name, his splendid character and his christian life will be remembered by his old associates and friends here.

For twelve years he had been in the insane hospital and for the past six months had been suffering with consumption until death relieved him.

Rev. John Haynes formerly of this county, but now pastor of the West Arch Street church of Nevada, conducted the funeral services at the home of his mother, December 2nd.

### A Much Prized Gift.

The editor is in receipt of an old German book written in 1776 by a theologian 75 years old at the time he wrote the book. It was published ten years later, when the author 85. His name was Muhlenburg and the book treats of many sacred songs and new testament all in German. The book is most interesting and was enjoyed very much, by the German students in the city to whom it was shown. The donor was Mr. Geo. H. Crider who recently moved west, locating at Canyon City, Texas.

The book had been in the Crider family 106 years. The gift is highly appreciated and will be preserved as a gift from an esteemed friend should.

### Circus in Town.

One day last week a crowd of small boys was seen passing along the street each one in great glee and all in laughter and in good humor, storekeepers rushed to their doors to see what the excitement was about. Business was almost suspended on Main street. An investigation revealed the fact that in inimitable Harvey Mulhall, one of the former proprietors of the "power house" had arrived in town and was relating some of his exciting experiences to his young friend. Harvey is now assisting the Telephone Company out of their trouble and every one hopes he will remain here

### EXTENSIVE TRAVELS OF A HENDERSON DEED

Visited St. Louis, Chicago, Seattle and Other Cities But Finally

### TOOK LODGING IN HENDERSON

A deed to which there were twenty parties whose residences are scattered throughout the country was lodged for record in the county clerk's office Saturday. The instrument was drawn up August 31, 1906, and almost continuously since that date has been traveling from city to city for the signature of part owners of the property being conveyed. The deed itself is simple enough and covers scarcely one typewritten page, but it is followed by the oaths of seven notary publics and is consequently quite bulky. And incidentally, the fee for recording it made a five dollar bill look like a "has been."

The cities visited by the deed in its wanderings were St. Louis, Mo., Chicago, Ill., Seattle, Wash., Marion, Princeton, Cadiz, and Henderson, Ky. It conveyed a house and lot on Elm street between Eight and Ninth streets to Edna E. Morris, for a consideration of \$500. Those who signed the deed were Mrs. Olive Parker, John F. Parker, Lula Parker, all of Chicago; Mrs. Mary Babbitt and Mrs. Fannie Walker, of Marion, Ky.; Mrs. Sarah Held, Mrs. Kate Hunt and Robert Hunt, all of St. Louis; Mrs. Mary B. Piles, and United States Senator S. H. Piles, of Seattle, Wash.; N. J. Winsteadley at Princeton, Ky.; Mrs. Florence Griffin and John T. Griffin, of Cadiz, and G. E. Benard, of Henderson

### Marriage License.

W. D. Baird to Lena Donakey. W. E. Currey to Ollie May Sanders. Thos. Parker to L. K. Jimson.